

Title (en)
Optical waveguide type wavelength filter.

Title (de)
Wellenlängenfilter in Form eines optischen Wellenleiters.

Title (fr)
Filtre de longueur d'onde du type guide d'ondes.

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Abstract (en)
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